2003-0016 Leonard Pomeranz, Thulium Pumped Laser Mid-IR Source

Responsive thereto the applicant's attorney drafted changes to the claims to incorporate

the Examiner's suggested claim language amendments. In addition, the applicant's attorney

cancelled claims 11 and 21 that had become redundant as a result of the independent claim

amendments. These claim changes were faxed to Examiner Carter on January 18, 2010 to be

used in an Examiner's amendment if he agreed.

The applicant's attorney heard nothing more until a Notice of Allowance was received

dated January 26, 2010 which included an Interview Summary. This Interview Summary refers

to the telephonic interview of January 13, 2010 and states in part that:

"(A fuller description, if necessary, and a copy of the amendments which the Examiner

agreed would render the claims allowable, if available, must be attached.)"

"THE FORMAL WRITTEN REPLY TO THE LAST OFFICE ACTION MUST

INCLUDE THE SUBSTANCE OF THE INTERVIEW."

Responsive to these requirements the Applicant's attorney files this paper responding to

the last Office action, and this response includes the exact claim changes faxed to the Examiner

on January 18, 2010 and not objected to.

If the Examiner believes that any matters are still at issue he is requested to contact

applicant's undersigned attorney at 603-432-8788 or via email at jfunk777@comcast.net.

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